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Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 05725.0593-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Nghi VAN NGUYEN et al.) Group Art Unit: 1751
Application No.: 09/931,912) Examiner: E. Elhilo
Filed: August 20, 2001)
For: COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING) Confirmation No.: 4343
AT LEAST ONE HYDROXIDE)
COMPOUND AND AT LEAST ONE)
REDUCING AGENT, AND)
METHODS FOR RELAXING HAIR)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Final Office Action of December 5, 2005. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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